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1. On 31 December 1953 the Karl Liebknecht Werk in Magdeburg was ceremoniously handed over to East German authorities. Some of the Russian personnel have left already; others are in the process of doing so. Future contact with the Russian administration will be carried on through the Trade Delegation (Torgpredstavitel'stvo). However, inasmuch as the plant will continue to receive orders from the USSR, a number of Russian officials will remain attached to the plant for the purpose of inspecting and receiving products.
2. The following Russians now occupy the position of acceptance engineers at the plant:
 - a. Anastas Nikolaevich Smolik; age 52; height 1.70 meters; well built; grey hair; wears glasses occasionally; usually wears a leather coat. His 40-year old wife arrived in Magdeburg on 31 December. Smolik is a former Engineer-Captain of the Third Rank (Lt. Com.) in the Russian Navy. Before 1932 he was at sea; he made visits to England, Italy, Germany and France. He speaks some English, French and German. Since 1932 he has worked as a specialist on Diesel engines. During the war he was on the Leningrad front. He gives the impression of an intelligent, well-educated person. Smolik's job at the Karl Liebknecht Werk is that of acceptance official for Diesel engines. He resides in Magdeburg, Lilienkronstrasse.
 - b. Koshkurev (fnu); age 45; height 1.65 meters; acceptance official for railroad rolling stock.
 - c. Myasych (fnu); age 40; height 1.60 meters; acceptance official for electrical equipment. He is Jewish and has a Jewish appearance. Extremely well educated; he speaks good German and is a natty dresser.
 - d. Sleptsov (fnu); age 35; height 1.75 meters; he is blond, and has an athletic build. He speaks German well. He is the acceptance official for machines for the paper and cellulose industry.
 - e. Ryazantsev (fnu); age 40; height 1.75 meters; stout; dark; small mustache.

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